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COUNT ONE

Illegal Acquisition of a Firearm 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(a)(6) and 924(a)(2)

Between on or about March 1, 2024, and March 7, 2024, in the State and Federal District of Nevada,

MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON,

defendant herein, in connection with the acquisition of firearms, specifically:

- 1. a Century Arms, Inc. model VSKA 7.62x39mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial number SV7147682; and
- 2. a Glock model G-20 SF 10mm Auto semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number CAKD141,

from Distinctive Defense Strategy LLC, a licensed dealer of firearms within the meaning of Chapter 44 of Title 18, United States Code, knowingly made and caused to be made a false and fictitious written statement to Distinctive Defense Strategy LLC, which statement was intended and likely to deceive Distinctive Defense Strategy LLC, as to a fact material to the lawfulness of such sale of said firearms to the defendant under Chapter 44 of Title 18, United States Code, in that HUTSON did complete and execute a Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives Form 4473 Firearms Transaction Record, wherein HUTSON represented that she was the actual transferee/buyer of the firearm listed on the form, when in fact, and as HUTSON well knew, she was acquiring the firearms on behalf of other persons, and that her current residence was 3809 Valley Forge Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89110, when in fact, and as HUTSON well knew, she did not reside at that address; all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(a)(6) and 924(a)(2).

COUNT TWO

Illegal Acquisition of a Firearm 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(a)(6) and 924(a)(2)

On or about March 21, 2024, in the State and Federal District of Nevada,

MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON,

defendant herein, in connection with the acquisition of firearms, specifically:

- 1. a Del-Ton, Inc. model DTI-15 5.56x45mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial number DTI-S291087;
- 2. a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number CBTK945;
- 3. a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number BZVL474;
- 4. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number AEE464247; and
- 5. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number AEL832774,

from Distinctive Defense Strategy LLC, a licensed dealer of firearms within the meaning of Chapter 44 of Title 18, United States Code, knowingly made and caused to be made a false and fictitious written statement to Distinctive Defense Strategy LLC, which statement was intended and likely to deceive Distinctive Defense Strategy LLC, as to a fact material to the lawfulness of such sale of said firearms to the defendant under Chapter 44 of Title 18, United States Code, in that HUTSON did complete and execute a Bureau of Alcohol,

Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives Form 4473 Firearms Transaction Record, wherein HUTSON represented that she was the actual transferee/buyer of the firearm listed on the form, when in fact, and as HUTSON well knew, she was acquiring the firearms on behalf of

other persons, and that her current residence was 3809 Valley Forge Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89110, when in fact, and as HUTSON well knew, she did not reside at that address; all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(a)(6) and 924(a)(2).

COUNT THREE

Possession of a Firearm by a Prohibited Person (Prior Felony) 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(8)

On or about March 7, 2024, in the State and Federal District of Nevada,

JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON III, a.k.a. "Wesdog,"

defendant herein, knowing he had previously been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, that is: Accessory to Murder (PC 187(a) and 32) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA101244-06 on or about July 23, 2018; Felony Reckless Evading (VC 2800.2) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA016124 on or about March 1, 1994; Transport or Sell Controlled Substances (Cocaine) (HS 11352(a)) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA009028 on or about January 28, 1992; Robbery Second (PC 211) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA001256 on or about October 7, 1989; Robbery Second (PC 211) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. KA000142 on or about January 8, 1990; and Possess or Purchase Cocaine Base for Sale (HS 11351.5) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. KA000129 on or about November 29, 1989, knowingly possessed firearms, that is:

1. a Century Arms, Inc. model VSKA 7.62x39mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial number SV7147682; and

2. a Glock model G-20 SF 10mm Auto semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number CAKD141,

said possession being in and affecting interstate commerce and said firearms having been shipped and transported in interstate commerce, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(8).

COUNT FOUR

Possession of a Firearm by a Prohibited Person (Prior Felony) 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(8)

On or about March 21, 2024, in the State and Federal District of Nevada,

JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON III, a.k.a. "Wesdog,"

defendant herein, knowing he had previously been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, that is: Accessory to Murder (PC 187(a) and 32) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA101244-06 on or about August 6, 2018; Felony Reckless Evading (VC 2800.2) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA016124 on or about March 24, 1994; Transport or Sell Controlled Substances (Cocaine) (HS 11352(a)) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA009028 on or about September 26,

1991: Robbery Second (PC 211) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. GA001256 on or about October 7, 1989; Robbery Second (PC 211) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. KA000142 on or about July 13, 1989; and Possess or Purchase Cocaine Base for Sale (HS 11351.5) in the Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles, in Case No. KA000129 on or about

- a Del-Ton, Inc. model DTI-15 5.56x45mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial
- a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number
- a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number
- a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C 9x19mm semiautomatic pistol
- a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol
- a Sturm, Ruger & Co. model SP101 .357 Magnum revolver bearing serial
- said possession being in and affecting interstate commerce and said firearms having been shipped and transported in interstate commerce, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(8).

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COUNT FIVE

Straw Purchasing of Firearms 18 U.S.C. § 932(b)(1)

Between on or about March 1, 2024, and on or about March 21, 2024, in the State and Federal District of Nevada,

MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON,

defendant herein, did knowingly purchase firearms, to wit:

- 1. a Century Arms, Inc. model VSKA 7.62x39mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial number SV7147682;
- 2. a Glock model G-20 SF 10mm Auto semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number CAKD141;
- 3. Del-Ton, Inc. model DTI-15 5.56x45mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial number DTI-S291087;
- 4. a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number CBTK945;
- 5. a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number BZVL474;
- 6. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C 9x19mm semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number AEE464247; and
- 7. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number AEL832774, in or otherwise affecting interstate or foreign commerce for, on behalf of, or at the request or demand of JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON had previously been convicted in any court of,

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a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year; or did conspire to do so, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 932(b)(1). **COUNT SIX** Trafficking in Firearms 18 U.S.C. § 933(a)(1) Between on or about March 1, 2024, and on or about March 21, 2024, in the State and Federal District of Nevada, MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON, Defendant herein, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of firearms, that is: a Century Arms, Inc. model VSKA 7.62x39mm semiautomatic rifle bearing 1. serial number SV7147682; a Glock model G-20 SF 10mm Auto semiautomatic pistol bearing serial 2. number CAKD141: Del-Ton, Inc. model DTI-15 5.56x45mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial 3. number DTI-S291087; 4. a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number CBTK945; a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number 5. **BZVL474**: a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C 9x19mm semiautomatic pistol 6. bearing serial number AEE464247; and a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol 7. bearing serial number AEL832774,

to JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having 1 reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by JOHN 2 WESLEY ROBINSON would constitute a felony, or did attempt or conspire to do so, in 3 violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 933(a)(1). 4 **COUNT SEVEN** 5 Trafficking in Firearms 18 U.S.C. § 933(a)(2) 6 Between on or about March 1, 2024, and on or about March 21, 2024, in the State 7 8 and Federal District of Nevada, 9 JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON III, a.k.a. "Wesdog," 10 defendant herein, did receive from another person, in or otherwise affecting interstate or 11 foreign commerce, firearms, that is: 12 a Century Arms, Inc. model VSKA 7.62x39mm semiautomatic rifle bearing 1. 13 serial number SV7147682; 14 a Glock model G-20 SF 10mm Auto semiautomatic pistol bearing serial 2. 15 number CAKD141; 16 Del-Ton, Inc. model DTI-15 5.56x45mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial 3. 17 number DTI-S291087; 18 a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number 4. 19 CBTK945; 20 a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number 5. 21 BZVL474; 22 a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C 9x19mm semiautomatic pistol 6. 23 bearing serial number AEE464247; and 24

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1	7. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol
2	bearing serial number AEL832774,
3	knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that such receipt would constitute a felony,
4	or did attempt or conspire to do so, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section
5	933(a)(2).
6 7	FORFEITURE ALLEGATION ONE Illegal Acquisition of a Firearm, Possession of a Firearm by a Prohibited Person (Prior Felony), Straw Purchasing of Firearms, and Trafficking in Firearms
8	1. The allegations of Counts Two and Four through Seven of this Criminal
9	Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated herein by reference for the purpose of
10	alleging forfeiture under 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) with 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).
11	2. Upon conviction of any of the felony offenses charged in Counts Two and Four
12	through Seven of this Criminal Indictment,
13 14	MARKISHA KENYA HUTSON, and JOHN WESLEY ROBINSON III, a.k.a. "Wesdog,"
15	defendants herein, shall forfeit to the United States of America, any firearm or ammunition
16	involved in or used in any knowing violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(a)(6), 922(g)(1), 932(b)(1)
17	933(a)(1), and 933(a)(2):
18	For Counts Two and Five through Seven:
19	1. a Del-Ton, Inc. model DTI-15 5.56x45mm semiautomatic rifle bearing serial
20	number DTI-S291087;
21	2. a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number
22	CBTK945;
23	3. a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number
24	BZVL474:

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1	2. a Glock model G-27 .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number
2	CBTK945;
3	3. a Glock model G-31 .357 SIG semiautomatic pistol bearing serial number
4	BZVL474;
5	4. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C 9x19mm semiautomatic pistol
6	bearing serial number AEE464247;
7	5. a Taurus Armas / Taurus USA model G2C .40 S&W semiautomatic pistol
8	bearing serial number AEL832774; and
9	6. any and all compatible ammunition.
10	All under 18 U.S.C. §§ 932(b)(1), 933(a)(1), and 933(a)(2) and 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1),
11	(2)(C), and (3)(G) with 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).
12	DATED: this 9th day of April, 2024.
13	A TRUE BILL:
14	/S/
15	FOREPERSON OF THE GRAND JURY
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